

# The Play Troupe of Port Washington

Founded 1927

Incorporated 1953

presents

Friday Evening, April 18, 1958

Saturday Evening, April 19, 1958

## THE MATCHMAKER

A FARCE IN FOUR ACTS

by Mr. Thornton Wilder

Under the direction of MRS. JEAN CONNOR

Produced by

MR. A. BRADLEY CONNER

Scenic Design by

MR. & MRS. EDWIN BOSTICK

### CAST OF CHARACTERS

Horace Vandergelder, merchant of Yonkers	Mr. Wilson O'Connell
Ambrose Kemper, an artist	Mr. Richard Dunham
Joe Scanlon, a barber	Mr. Alan Wile
Gertrude, Vandergelder's housekeeper	Mrs. Annabel Audet
Cornelius Hackl, clerk	Mr. Richard Whittemore
Ermengarde, Vandergelder's niece	Mrs. Kay Lien
Malachi Stack, clerk	Mr. Archibald Patterson
Mrs. Dolly Levi, a matchmaker	Mrs. Eileen Hickson
Barnaby Tucker, clerk	Mr. Carleton Schroeder
Mrs. Irene Molloy, a milliner	Mrs. Mary Cobb
Miss Minnie Fay, her assistant	Mrs. Frances Hendon
A Cabman	Mr. Edward Bloomfield
Rudolph, a waiter	Mr. Charles Audet
August, another waiter	Mr. William Speer
Miss Flora Van Huysen, a lady	Mrs. Ellen Crawley
Her Cook	Mrs. Genevieve Ruch

### SYNOPSIS OF SCENES

Time: *The early 80's*

#### ACT I

*Mr. Vandergelder's house in Yonkers, N. Y.*

#### ACT II

*Mrs. Molloy's hat store in New York City*

#### ACT III

*The Harmonia Gardens Restaurant on the Battery*

#### ACT IV

*Miss Van Huysen's house*



## Production Staff for *The Matchmaker*

Assistant Director  
Assistant Producer & Stage Manager  
"Man Friday" to Director  
Prompter

*Mrs. Emily Ullman*  
*Mrs. Marj Boehm*  
*Mr. Max Schroeder*  
*Mrs. Lillian Manno*

### Set Construction

*Messrs. Thornton Stearns, Frank Mucha, George Lien, Hans Ingley and Max Schroeder*

### Scenery Painting

*Mesdames Louise Merrim, Margaret Daniel, Millie Mucha, Ursula Bostick, Marion MacInness, Marge Green and Messrs. Frank Daniel, Ken Saco, Wallace Stewart*

### Costumes

*Mesdames Jan Reinhardt, Molly Tangerman, Barbara Henry, Alicia Seegar, Maude Peterman, Gertrude Stearns, Virginia Salzman*

### Lighting

*Messrs. William Reinhardt, William Speer, William Hickson, Bruce Hulbert*

### Make-up

*Mr. Malcolm Vendig and Mrs. Marion MacInness*

### Properties

*Mesdames Betty Paulding, Ruth Talbot, LuEsther Mertz, Wilhelmina Seymour and Mr. Alan Wile*

### Music and Sound Effects

*Mr. Bruce Wiley*

### Stage Crew

*Messrs. Max Schroeder, Hans Ingley, Richard McCloskey, Geoffrey Hazard, George Lien, James Yarri*

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## Business Staff for *The Matchmaker*

Business Manager

*Mr. Fred Ritter, Jr.*

### Tickets

*Mr. Gilbert Beck and Mesdames LuEsther Mertz, Peggy Ward*

### Publicity

*Mesdames Alice Ritter, Annabel Audet, Kay Hesler, Virginia Salzman and Messrs. Gilbert Supple, Richard Whittemore*

### Photography

*Messrs. Thomas Holloway and Louis Seegar*

### Program

*Miss Joyce Mertz and Mr. Richard Whittemore*

### Ushers

*Girls from Celerity and Messrs. William Hickson, Joseph Murray, John Peach, Edward Murray, Gilbert Supple, Clifford Dunnells, Robert Epstein*

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Senior High School Auditorium

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